

DISTRICT REPORTS.

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BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.

Current.

Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	7.35	6.90	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	14.07	12.37	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort)	...	6.90	

Agricultural operations.—Ragi is under harvest.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Ragi in some parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk; sugar cane and paddy in parts of Channapatna; ground-nuts in parts of Devanhalli. All the above crops are being harvested during the week.

Potatoes have been sown in some parts of Devanhalli Taluk. Weeding in paddy fields has been in progress in some parts of Magadi Taluk. In certain parts of Devanhalli Taluk paddy fields are being got ready for sowing Vaisakhi crop.

State of standing crops.—The standing crops, such as ragi, avare, togari, punaji paddy, and sugar cane, etc., are reported to be in good condition, though punaji paddy and late sown ragi are in need of rain in some parts of Hoskote, Doddballapur and Magadi Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Harvest and outturn.—Devanhalli—Ragi 8 to 12 annas.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

10. Prospect of season is good. The Amildars of Hoskote, Doddballapur and Magadi Taluks and the Deputy Amildar of Closepet Sub-Taluk report that the standing crops require rain. Food stocks are available. Sufficient labour is available to all the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in a few villages of Bangalore, Hoskote and Anekal Taluks, and fever in Magadi and Channapatna Taluks; public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Fodder and water are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in harvesting same, nat ragi and groundnuts in parts of Mulbagal and Goribidnur Taluks.

Crops sown.—Paddy, kadale in Bowringpet and Mulbagal Taluks, jola in Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Nat ragi, sajje, same in parts of Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, Malur, Srinivasapur and Goribidnur Taluks and in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield about 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—All the crops are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of food grains continue to be high. Labour is available to the cooly classes. More rain is wanted.

11. Except for a few cases of plague in parts of Kolar, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Goribidnur Taluks and Kolar Gold Fields. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market is well supplied.
9. *Crops sown*.—Kadale, jola and paddy in parts of Chiknayakanhalli and Sira Taluks; paddy and jola in parts of Koratagere Sub-Taluk; paddy in parts of Tumkur Taluk; and kadale in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.
- Crops harvested*.—Ragi in parts of Tumkur, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 2 to 14 annas; navane in parts of Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 2 to 10 annas; same in parts of Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 4 to 10 annas; groundnut in parts of Sira and Gubbi Taluks, yield 2 to 14 annas; haraka in parts of Sira Taluk, yield 2 to 6 annas; sugar cane in parts of Gubbi Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; and paddy in parts of Tumkur Taluk, yield 8 annas.
- Standing crops*.—Paddy, ragi, avare, togari, same, navane, haraka, til, horse gram, kadale, castor, sugar cane, black and green grams are reported to be generally in fair condition.
10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.
11. Except for plague in Tumkur and Tiptur towns, public health is generally good.
12. Except for *Dodda roga* in Palavalli village of the Pavagada Taluk, cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market is well supplied.
9. *Crops sown*.—Kadale is being sown in parts of the Krishnarajpete Taluk.
- Standing crops*.—Paddy, sugar cane, ragi, jola, togari, avare, horse gram, navane, same, haraka, castor, til, ramtil, tadagani, alsandi, cotton, wheat, mulberry, chilli green and black grams, coriander and Bengal gram are reported to be good.
- Crops harvested*.—Ragi in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks and groundnut in parts of the T.-Narsipur Taluk.
10. Prospects of season are reported to be good. Food stuffs are generally available.
11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in Mysore City and parts of the Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote and Gundlupet Taluks and cholera in parts of the Seringapatam Taluk.
12. Cattle are reported to be healthy, except for *Dodda roga* in parts of the Mysore and Nanjangud Taluks. Water and fodder are generally available.

HASSAN.

8. Market is well supplied.
9. *Standing crops*.—Ragi, paddy, kulthi, avare, togari and sugar cane in the Hassan and Belur Taluks; paddy in Manjarabad Taluk; paddy, avare, castor, chillies, kulthi and kadale in the Arkalgud Taluk; ragi, paddy, avare, togari, kulthi, gingelly, haraka, castor, sugar cane and chillies in the Channarayapatna Taluk; ragi, kulthi, avare, cholum, paddy and sugar cane in the Arsikere Taluk; doddaragi, cholum, togari, avare, paddy and sugar cane in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; paddy and sugar cane in the Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in fair condition.
- Crops sown*.—Kadale, coriander and menthya in Channarayapatna Taluk and kadale in Belur Taluk are being sown.
- Crops harvested*.—Doddaragi in Hassan and Belur Taluks, sugar cane and doddaragi in Channarayapatna Taluk, and ragi and save in the Arsikere Taluk are being harvested.
10. The prospects of the season are generally good. More rain is reported to be required for avare and togari crops in parts of Arsikere Taluk.
11. Public health is generally good.
12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

18. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Yannegar jola, Bengal gram and coriander are being sown in the Honnali Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar cane throughout the district, dry crops in taluks of Channagiri and Honnali, ragi and horse gram in the Shimoga Taluk and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk and ragi in Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi and jolum in parts of the Channagiri Taluk, ragi and navane in parts of the Honnali Taluk, ragi in Shikarpur, paddy in Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk and arecanut in Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good. Plague in parts of Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks, small-pox in parts of Nagar and Sagar Taluks, cholera in parts of Shimoga Taluk and ague and fever in parts of the Shikarpur and Sagar Taluks are prevailing.

12. Fodder and water are available. Cattle are generally healthy, except for "Doddaroga" in Suragihalli village in the Shikarpur Taluk.

KADUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in the Chikmagalur Taluk.

Crops sown.—Chikmagalur—Bengal gram, sugar cane, garlic; Tarikere—besige jola, Bengal gram and coriander.

Standing crops.—Ragi, kulthi, coriander, jola, avare, paddy, sugar cane, coffee and cardamom; all these are in good condition, but areca is affected by koleroga in Koppa Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur—Ragi and jola; Kadur—ragi, jola, save and navane yield 8 to 12 annas; Tarikere and Koppa—areca; Mudgere—cardamom; Yedahalli—areca and paddy; Sringeri—areca, yield 6 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in some villages of Chikmagalur and Tarikere Taluks, the public health is generally good.

12. Metre roga prevails in some villages of Chikmagalur Taluk. Water and fodder is sufficient.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Such as paddy, ragi, sugar cane, cotton, dal, beans, horse gram, etc., are reported to be in fair condition, except in parts of the Hiriyur Taluk, where the dry crops, are reported to be withering for want of rains.

Crops harvested.—Chitaldrug Taluk, navane (Italian millet); sajje (spiked millet); ragi, jola—outturn 8 annas; Challakere Taluk, nata ragi in lands under kapile wells, 8 to 12 annas; sajje, navane and save (little millet), 4 to 8 annas; Hiriyur Taluk, sajje and ragi; Holalkere Taluk—ragi; Davangere Taluk—navane, ragi and jola; Molakalmuru Taluk—ragi and jola; Jagalur Taluk—ragi and jola, 4 to 8 annas; Hosdurga Taluk—save, 4 annas.

Seeds sown.—White jola and Bengal gram in the Hiriyur, Jagalur, Chitaldrug and Hosdurga Taluks, wheat in the Hiriyur Taluk and coriander in the Hosdurga Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are available.

11. The public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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